

***I MINA 'TRENTAI KUÅTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
**RESOLUTION STATUS**

<b>Resolution No.</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Intro</b>	<b>Date of Presentation</b>	<b>Date Adopted</b>	<b>Date Referred</b>	<b>Referred to</b>	<b>PUBLIC HEARING DATE</b>	<b>DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED</b>
<b>18-34 (COR)</b>	B.J.F. Cruz	Relative to recognizing and commending President Daisaku Ikeda and Mrs. Kaneko Ikeda of Soka Gakkai International for their tireless efforts and dedication to promoting world peace; and to further commemorating January 26, 2017, as Soka Gakkai International's Forty Second (42nd) Anniversary.	01/23/17 3:56 p.m.	01/28/17 10:30 a.m.	<b>01/27/17</b>				

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**Resolution No. 18-34 (COR)**

Introduced by:

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**Relative to recognizing and commending President Daisaku Ikeda and Mrs. Kaneko Ikeda of Soka Gakkai International (SGI) for their tireless efforts and dedication to promoting world peace, and on the commemoration of January 26, 2017, as Soka Gakkai International's Forty-second (42<sup>nd</sup>) Year Anniversary.**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI KU'ATTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GU'AHAN:**

**WHEREAS**, January 26, 2017, marks the forty-second (42<sup>nd</sup>) anniversary of when Dr. Daisaku Ikeda had the vision to make Guam the symbolic starting point to promote better understanding between different cultures and actualizing peace, resulting in his founding of Soka Gakkai International (SGI); and

**WHEREAS**, 2017 marks the seventy-second (72<sup>nd</sup>) anniversary of the end of World War II, during which the Chamorro people suffered terribly from the unspeakable atrocities committed on our beautiful island of Guam in the name of war; and

**WHEREAS**, 2017 also marks the seventy-second (72<sup>nd</sup>) anniversary of the time when nuclear weapons were detonated in Hiroshima and Nagasaki, Japan; and

**WHEREAS**, 2017 additionally marks the seventy-second (72<sup>nd</sup>) anniversary of the founding of the United Nations (UN), a body that SGI President Dr. Daisaku Ikeda has consistently, relentlessly, and substantively supported as the "Parliament of Humanity" where each nation of the world is represented with an equal voice; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Ikeda steadfastly believes that protecting the United Nations protects our nations, ourselves, our children and our future, which has resulted in the UN conferring a Non-Governmental Organization (NGO) status on SGI for providing crucial and deeply-appreciated support and awareness-raising energy for many decades; and


**WHEREAS**, for over fifty-five (55) years, Dr. Daisaku Ikeda, as SGI President, has been an outstanding world leader for the global peace movement, responding to the clarion call of his cherished mentor, Second Soka Gakkai President, Josei Toda, to establish efforts to abolish nuclear weapons and urge SGI youth to dedicate their lives to these essential tasks; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Ikeda's wife, Mrs. Kaneko Ikeda, has quietly, yet powerfully, exerted herself by being at Dr. Ikeda's side throughout all the years of their partnership as a dedicated companion, advisor, counselor, and advocate; now therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Ku'attro Na Liheslaturan Gu'ahan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Gu'ahan* and the people of Guam, recognize and commend President Daisaku Ikeda and Mrs. Kaneko Ikeda of Soka Gakkai International (SGI) for their tireless efforts and dedication to promoting world peace, and on the commemoration of January 26, 2017, as Soka Gakkai International's Forty-second (42<sup>nd</sup>) Year Anniversary; and be it further

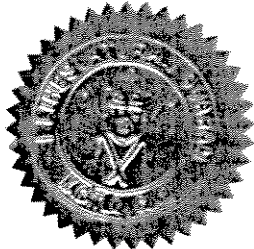
**RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to President Dr. Daisaku Ikeda and Mrs. Kaneko Ikeda of Soka Gakkai International (SGI); to the members of SGI-Guam; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'Ilhen Gu'ahan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI KU'ATTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GU'AHAN ON THE 27<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JANUARY 2017.**

  
BENJAMIN J.B. CRUZ  
Speaker

  
MICHAEL E.Q. SAN NICOLAS  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

  
ROGELIO BISCOE LEE  
Legislative Secretary



***I MINA'TRENTAI KUÅTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
**2017 (FIRST) Regular Session**

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Introduced by:

B. J.F. Cruz  
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2 resulting in his founding of Soka Gakkai International (SGI); and

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5 unspeakable atrocities committed on our beautiful island of Guam in the name of war;  
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16 crucial and deeply-appreciated support and awareness-raising energy for many decades;  
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21 establish efforts to abolish nuclear weapons and urge SGI youth to dedicate their lives  
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2 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people  
3 of Guam, recognize and commend President Daisaku Ikeda and Mrs. Kaneko Ikeda of  
4 Soka Gakkai International (SGI) for their tireless efforts and dedication to promoting  
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11 Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'låhen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF  
I MINA'TRENTAI KUÅTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 27<sup>TH</sup>  
DAY OF JANUARY 2017.**

  
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**BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ**  
Speaker

  
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**MICHAEL F.Q. SAN NICOLAS**  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

  
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**RÉGINE BISCOE LEE**  
Legislative Secretary



# COMMITTEE ON RULES

Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas, *Chairman*  
*I Mina'Trentai Kuåttro na Liheslaturan Guåhan • 34<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature*



## COMMITTEE VOTING SHEET

Resolution No. 18-34 (COR) – B.J.F. Cruz – “Relative to recognizing and commending President Daisaku Ikeda and Mrs. Kaneko Ikeda of Soka Gakkai International (SGI) for their tireless efforts and dedication to promoting world peace, and on the commemoration of January 26, 2017, as Soka Gakkai International’s Forty-second (42<sup>nd</sup>) Year Anniversary.”

	SIGNATURE	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
Senator Michael F.Q. San Nicolas Chairperson	email	1/27/2017	X		
Senator Telen Cruz Nelson Vice Chairperson					
Speaker Benjamin J. F. Cruz Member	email	1/27/2017	X		
Vice-Speaker Therese M. Terlaje Member	email	1/27/2017	X		
Legislative Secretary Régine Biscoe Lee Member	<i>(RBL)</i>	<i>1/27</i>	X		
Senator Thomas C. Ada Member					
Senator Frank B. Aguon, Jr. Member					
Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr. Member	email	1/27/2017	X		
Senator Joe S. San Agustin Member	email	1/27/2017	X		
Senator James V. Espaldon Minority Leader	email	1/27/2017	X		
Senator Mary Camacho Torres Minority Member					

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 Name: *Karina L. Charfauns*  
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